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November 1, 2005 1:25 PM

Senator Mike Enzi
U.S. Senate
379-A Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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Michelle Geer

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Representative Lynn Westmoreland
U.S. House of Representatives
1118 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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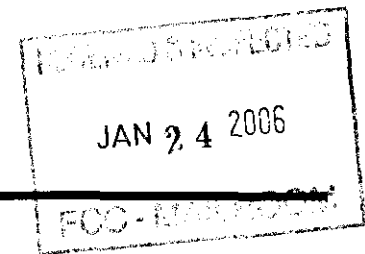
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Senator George Allen
U.S. Senate
204 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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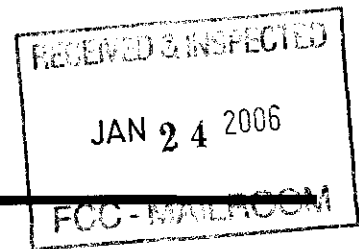
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Senator Patrick Leahy
U.S. Senate
433 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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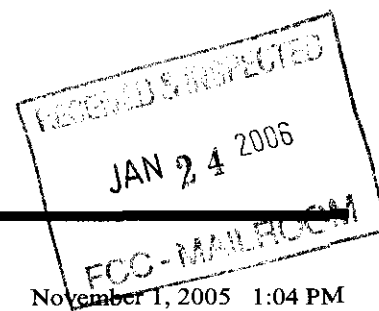
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David Hector

5321 S. Geneva Way , Englewood, CO 80111-6222



Senator Wayne Allard
U.S. Senate
521 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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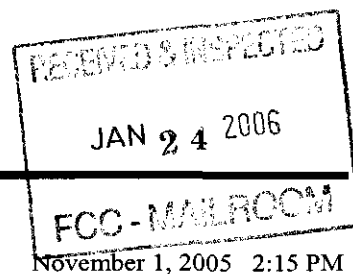
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Senator Hillary Clinton
U.S. Senate
476 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

Dear Senator Clinton:

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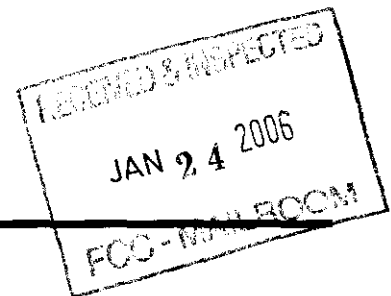
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November 1, 2005 2:16 PM

Senator Mark Pryor
U.S. Senate
257 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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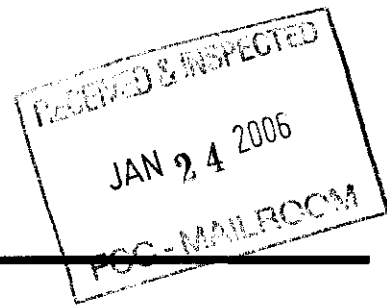
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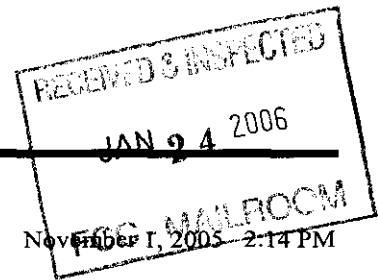
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Senator Bill Nelson
U.S. Senate
716 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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Senator Christopher Bond
U.S. Senate
274 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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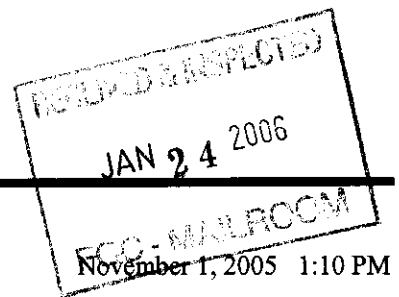
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The Federal Communications Commission,

Harry Chiles

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Senator Dianne Feinstein
U.S. Senate
331 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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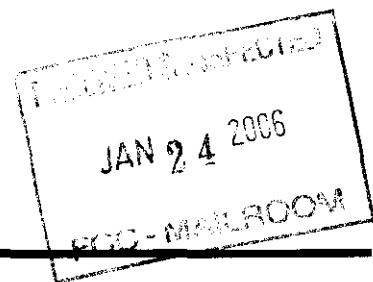
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U.S. Senate
728 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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U.S. Senate
711 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

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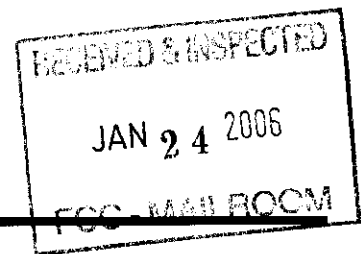
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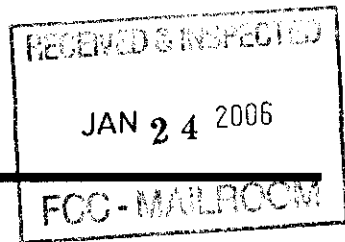
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November 1, 2005 1:08 PM

Senator Mel Martinez
United States Senate
317 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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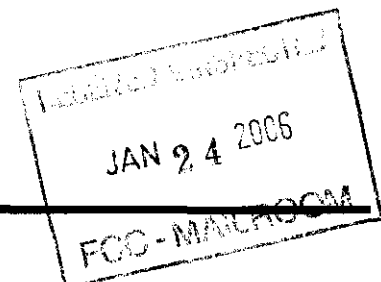
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James Scally

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November 1, 2005 2:18 PM

Representative James McGovern
U.S. House of Representatives
430 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

Dear Representative McGovern:

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November 1, 2005 1:55 PM

Senator Saxby Chambliss
U.S. Senate
416 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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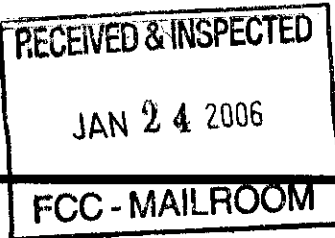
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Robert Johnson

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November 1, 2005 12:53 PM

Senator Lincoln Chafee
U.S. Senate
141A Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

Dear Senator Chafee:

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November 1, 2005 1:11 PM

Senator Arlen Specter
U.S. Senate
711 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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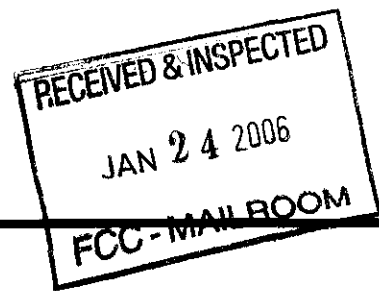
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3006 ANDOVER COURT , MOUNT DORA, FL 32757



November 1, 2005 1:11 PM

Representative Dennis Moore
U.S. House of Representatives
1727 Longworth House Office Bldg.
Washington, DC 20515-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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Senator Harry Reid
U.S. Senate
528 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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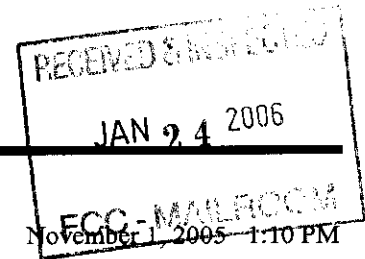
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711 Hart Senate Office Building
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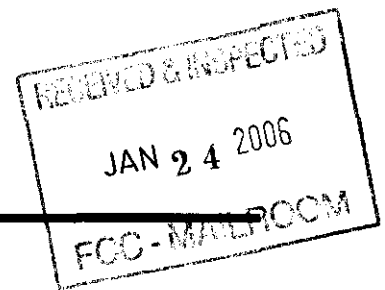
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Joel Vignere

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November 1, 2005 1:07 PM

Senator Max Baucus
U.S. Senate
511 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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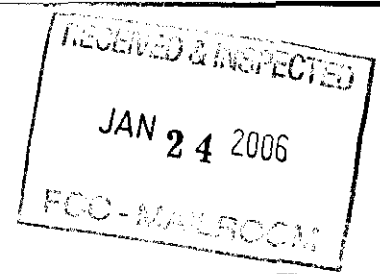
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November 1, 2005 1:07 PM

Senator Gordon Smith
U.S. Senate
404 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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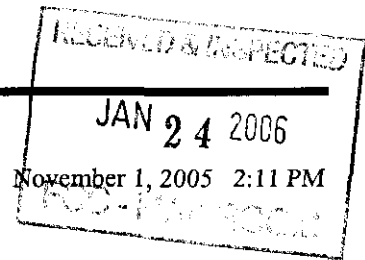
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Senator Hillary Clinton
U.S. Senate
476 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

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